RM-8257



Ms. Donna Searcy Secretary Federal Communications Commission 1919 "M" Street NW Washington, D.C. 20554

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Dear Ms. Searcy:

Please accept this petition for Rule Making for the Federal Communications Commission.

We are petitioning to amend the FM Table of Allotments, Section 73.202(b,), of the Commission's Rules reference the allotment to Lindsborg, Kansas. The change requested is to up-grade Lindsborg Channel #240A to Channel #238C3.

The allotment for Sterling, Kansas, will also have to be changed from Channel #239A to Channel #234A to accommodate this amendment.

An Engineering Study supporting these requested changes is included as part of this petition.

As licensees of radio station KQNS (FM), Channel #240A, in Lindsborg, we will make a timely application for up-graded operation on Channel #256C3 upon approval of this petition.

Respectfully,

E. Jerry Davies

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PETITION TO AMMEND THE FM TABLE OF ALLOTMENTS

UP-GRADING THE ALLOTMENT FOR LINDSBORG, KANSAS

TO CLASS C3 OPERATION ON CHANNEL #238

MAY 10, 1993

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ENGINEERING STUDY

I, Larry P. Waggoner, have been retained to prepare this Engineering Study in support of E. Jerry and Diane Davies' petition for rule making to amend the FM Table of Allotments. Section 73.202(b) of the FCC Rules, reference the allotment to Lindsborg, Kansas. The change requested is to up-grade Channel #240A to Channel #238C3.

Exhibit #1 is a Class C3 spacing study made from a reference point using the existing KQNS(FM) transmitter site north of the city of Lindsborg. The site will continue to provide signals in excess of city grade over the entire community with no terrain blockage.

Exhibit #1 shows that Channel #238C3 can be assigned to Lindsborg, Kansas and be in compliance with all FCC regulations, with one exception. This proposal is short spaced to an allocation of Channel #239A for Sterling, Kansas.

Exhibit #2 shows that Channel #234A can be substituted for Channel #239A in Sterling, Kansas. The spacing study used the Sterling, Kansas Class A allocation reference point (N38°10'56"-W98°14'27"). This reference point is located 4.3 kilometers southwest of the city of Sterling (N38°12'56"-W98°12'24"). Exhibit #2 shows that Channel #234 meets all of the Commission's spacing requirements for Class A operation from the Sterling, Kansas allocation reference point.

The Table of Allotments 72.202(b) would be changed as follows:

Present:

KANSAS

Proposed:

KANSAS

Lindsborg 240A

Sterling 239A Lindsborg 238C3 Sterling 234A

Application for Class C3 operation on KQNS(FM) will be promptly made if this petition is approved by the Commission.

This Engineering Report was prepared by me and all statements

are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and ability.

Larry/P. Waggoner

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05-10-1993 EXHIBIT #1 FM Study for: KQNSFM Location: LINDSBORG, KS Call City, State	Larry Waggo	ner		PAGE	≣ 1				
FM Study for: KQNSFM	FCC Data	abase Date: 3/	93	38-40-0	00				
Location: LINDSBORG, KS	Chani	nel Class: C3	m ! !	97-41-3	30				
Call City, State	Chan Class Freq	kw Latitude	Dist.	Require	9 d				
Status Proponent	File Number i	AAI Longitude	AZM.	Clear ((KM)				
>>>>>> Study For Channel 238 95.5 mHz <<<<<<									
KONSFM LINDSBORG, KS	240 A 95.9	1.30 38-40-00	0.0	42					
LIC SMOKY HILL BROADC	ASTI BLH-880429KC	139 97-41-30	0.0	-42.0	SHORT				
Use of	73.215 for short spa	acing reauires:	40	-40.0	SHORT				
ALLOC STERLING, KS	239 A 95.7	38-10-56	72.1	89					
VAC	Docket-91-160	0 98-14-27	221.9	-16.9	SHORT				
ALLOC STERLING, KS VAC Use of	73.215 for short spa	cing requires:	72	+0.1	SHORT				
First Come/First Served /	Allotment								
Effective 10-28-91-Site I	Restricted								
KCKS CONCORDIA. KS	237 A 95.3	3.00 39-33-58	99.9	89					
KCKS CONCORDIA, KS LIC GENERAL BROADCAST	ING BLH-781013AD	49 97-41-04	0.4	+10.9	CLOSE				
KICTFM WICHITA, KS LIC GRANITE BROADCAST:	236 C1 95.1	100. 37-47-58	97.3	76					
LIC GRANITE BROADCAST	ING BLH-821217AK	274 97-31-58	171.7	+21.3	CLEAR				
KSKU LYONS, KS	291 C1 106.1	100. 38-15-47	48.4	24					
LIC AD ASTRA PER ASPE	RA B BLH-890914KD	200 97-54-08	202.4	+24.4	CLEAR				
KHCA WAMEGO, KS	237 A 95.3	6.0 39-12-35							
LIC WILDCAT RADIO, INC	BLH-860425KC	99 96-21-05	62.2	+41.9	CLEAR				
KZTO OTTAWA, KS	229 C1 95 7	97. 38-50-15	101 7	1 4 4					
LIC SHAFFER BROADCAST		265 95-29-51			CLEAR				
	238 C1 95.5								
LIC DODGE CITY BROADCA	STI BLH-880209KD	176 100-20-40	244.7	+47.9	CLEAR				

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FM Study for: ALLOC Location: STERLING, KS Call City, State

FCC Database Date: 3/93 38-10-56 Channel Class: A 98-14-27

Chan Class Freq kW Latitude Dist. Required

Status	Proponent	File Number HAAT	Longitude	Azm.	Clear	(km)				
>>>>> Study For Channel 234 94.7 mHz <<<<<<										
KICTFM LIC	WICHITA, KS GRANITE BROADCASTING	236 C1 95.1 100. BLH-821217AK 274	37-47-58 97-31-58	75.32 124.1	75 +0.32	CLOSE				
	JUNCTION CITY, KS JUNCTION CITY BROADCA					CLEAR				
	KINGMAN, KS Do Come/First Served Allotm		37-38-48 98-06-54	60.5 169.4	31 +29.5	CLEAR				
KXLK LIC	HAYSVILLE, KS MIDCONTINENT BROADCAS	287 C 105.3 100. BLH-850823KA 301	37-46-40 97-30-37	78.3 124.7	29 +49.3	CLEAR				
ALLOC VAC SITE RE	DOWNS, KS Dog ESTRICTED - EFFECTIVE 6-4	231 C 94.1 cket-81-629 0 4-82	39-31-37 98-34-13	152.0 349.3	95 +57.0	CLEAR				
KEBC LIC	OKLAHOMA CITY, OK VAN WAGNER BROADCASTI	234 C 94.7 98. BLH-870427KA 423	35-32-58 97-29-50	299.6 167.0	226 +73.6	CLEAR				
NEW APP	DOWNS, KS HOEFLICKER BROADCASTI	231 C2 94.1 28.0 BPH-920611MF 89	39-30-29 98-18-57	147.3 357.5	55 +92.3	CLEAR				